## 109TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

## H. RES. 989

Commending the United Kingdom for its efforts in the War on Terror, and for other purposes.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

September 7, 2006

Mr. Poe submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

## RESOLUTION

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- Whereas on August 10, 2006, British police arrested 24 people for plotting to commit acts of terror on trans-Atlantic flights;
- Whereas as of August 31, 2006, 12 citizens have been charged for their roles in the terror plot, including eight citizens charge with conspiracy to murder;
- Whereas United Kingdom authorities acted swiftly and decisively to prevent a horrific attack on scores of innocent people;
- Whereas the United Kingdom and the United States have been close allies in not only two World Wars and Operation Desert Storm, but also the Global War on Terror;

- Whereas the intelligence and military communities of the United Kingdom and the United States continue to work together to win the Global War on Terror;
- Whereas the threat of terrorism is a grave concern for all nations, regardless of geographical or other boundaries;
- Whereas acts of terror have profoundly affected citizens across the globe, including those in Bali, Turkey, India, the United Kingdom, and the United States; and
- Whereas victory in the Global War on Terror is a necessity to ensure the liberty and safety of all people: Now, therefore, be it
  - 1 Resolved, That the House of Representatives—
  - 2 (1) commends the law enforcement authorities 3 of the United Kingdom on their action to prevent a 4 terrible attack from occurring;
  - 5 (2) commends the intelligence community of the 6 United Kingdom for its outstanding work in identi-7 fying the citizens seeking to carry out this plot;
    - (3) condemns those that would use acts of violence against innocent civilians to spread a message of hate and intolerance; and
    - (4) urges the allies of the United States in the Global War on Terror to remain steadfast in the execution of this important mission.

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